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BODY CONTAINING CALCIUM PHOSPHATE BLOCK AND
METHOD FOR PRODUCTION THEREOF

Group Art Unit: 1713
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Sir :

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98, and supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statements which were previously filed on January 20, 2004, January 6, 2004, and October 9, 2003, Applicants hereby call to the Examiner's attention a United Kingdom Office Action that issued in patent family member, United Kingdom Application No. 0316088.4 on April 11, 2005, in which the following document was cited:

U.S. Patent No. 4,818,451 to ARAI et al.

Further to 37 C.F.R. §1.98 (a)(2)(ii), a copy of the U.S. patent is not enclosed herewith. However, if a copy is needed, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the above material and cite the same. The documents are listed on the attached PTO-1449 Form. The Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached Form and to return a copy of the completed Form to Applicants with the next official communication in the present application.

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Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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